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REMARKS

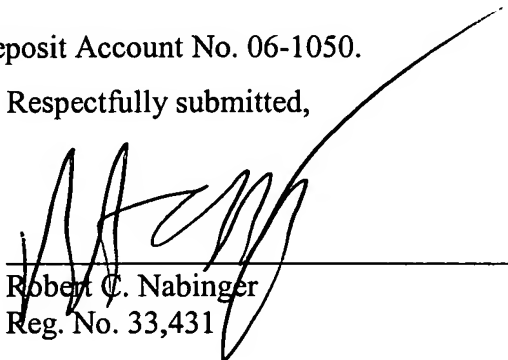
Applicants elect the Group II claims (claims 19-45). Applicants further elect Species 1. Claims 19-40 expressly read on this species. Claims 41-45 also read on the species when the cathode also includes both an irreversible high capacity material and a reversible low capacity material. A low surface area lithiated manganese dioxide can be a reversible low capacity material (see claim 20) but this is not required by claim 41.

Applicants have cancelled the claims from Groups I and II and have amended claims 22 and 23 to correct errors in the dependencies.

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